Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty and concern for one's fellow man; and,

WHEREAS, Donald L. Gerlach has been employed at the Office of the State Engineer as a field engineer since September 9, 1967; and,

WHEREAS, Don was instrumental in establishing a roof review program and maintenance program for physical plants at the various institutions which the state engineers office has as clients; and,

WHEREAS, Don has devoted his life to the betterment of his community, the caring and sharing with family and friends and the day-to-day giving and loving which make South Dakota a great state in which to live and work; and,

WHEREAS, Don is a devoted husband, father and grandfather; and,

WHEREAS, On June 9, after almost 22 years of service to the Office of the State Engineer and this great state, Don is retiring and taking time to travel, camp, boat, garden, grow his roses and spend time with his grandchildren:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 9, 1989, as

DONALD L. GERLACH DAY

in South Dakota, and I join his many friends and relatives in wishing him and enjoyable retirement and good luck in the future.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifth Day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Nine

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE